



In re the Application of: **Hirotake WATANABE**

Group Art Unit: **2182**

Application Number: **09/824,005**

Examiner: **Eron J. Sorrell**

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Confirmation Number: **6459**

For: **NETWORK DEVICE MANAGEMENT METHOD, SYSTEM AND
MANAGEMENT EQUIPMENT THEREOF**

Attorney Docket Number: **010368**

Customer Number: **38834**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 4, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2005 for two months from March 5, 2006 to May 5, 2006.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$450.00 for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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